GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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EXPANSION OF ICDS PROJECT
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the fund allocated for the ICDS in Ninth-Five-Year Plan;

(b) whether the Government have a proposal for the expansion of ICDS; and

(c) if so, the target set therefor, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

(SHRIMATI SUMITRA MAHAJAN)

(a) An amount of Rs.4980.00 crores has been allocated for the ICDS in the Ninth Five Year Plan.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) It is proposed to operationalise ICDS Projectsin at least 390 blocks during the Ninth Five Year Plan in phases. State-wise allocation of projects will be firmed up annually.